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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

In Re: Toyota Motor Corp. Unintended	)	Case No.: 8:10ML2151 JVS (FMOx)
Acceleration Marketing, Sales	)	
Practices, and Products Liability	)	
Litigation	)	
This document related to:	)	<b>APPLICATION FOR</b>
ALL CASES	)	<b>REAPPOINTMENT OF W. B.</b>
	)	<b>MARKOVITS ON THE LEAD</b>
	)	<b>COUNSEL COMMITTEE FOR</b>
	)	<b>ECONOMIC LOSS CLAIMS</b>

19 Pursuant to the Court's Second Amended Order No. 9: Reappointment  
20 Procedures (Docket No. 491) ("Order"), I hereby respectfully submit this  
21 application for reappointment to the Economic Loss Class Actions ("Economic  
22 Loss Committee"). Over the past year, I have continued to stay apprised of the  
23 events in this litigation. Furthermore, my firm has continued to participate as a  
24 member of the Economic Loss Committee and perform work as directed by  
25 other members of the Committee. The Order asks the applicant to address four  
26 points; I will address each in turn:

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1       • ***Expression of Interest.*** I remain interested in continuing as an appointed  
2 member of the Economic Loss Committee. Throughout this litigation, I have  
3 continued to oversee my firm's efforts, including legal and factual research,  
4 participating on Committee conference calls, providing updates to our clients on  
5 the latest occurrences in this litigation, and completing assigned document  
6 review.

7       • ***Contributions.*** My firm continues to represent ten (10) of the named  
8 plaintiffs on the Second Amended Economic Loss Master Consolidated Class  
9 Action Complaint (filed on Jan. 10, 2011) (Docket No. 580) ("Complaint").  
10 My firm has continued to keep our potential class representatives and class  
11 members apprised of the proceedings in this matter and have consulted with  
12 lead counsel throughout this litigation. Furthermore, my firm has continued to  
13 engage in document review, which is an ongoing process, and has helped  
14 complete document review for lead counsel in preparation of several  
15 depositions.

16       • ***Hours Devoted to MDL.*** Over the past year, my firm has logged  
17 approximately 750 hours in prosecution of the Economic Loss Class Action.

18       • ***Other Information.*** I have participated in scheduled conference calls  
19 with the Economic Loss Committee and remain willing to serve as a member of  
20 the Committee. Also, my firm continues to work diligently in responding to  
21 lead counsel requests and looks forward to working with the rest of the  
22 Economic Loss Committee members to zealously represent the interests of the  
23 Economic Loss Plaintiffs.

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1 Dated: April 13, 2012

Respectfully submitted,

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service on April 13, 2012.

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